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**Serial No.: 10/064,845**  
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**For: Prosthetic Foot with Heel of Elasticity**  
**Our Reference No.: 1098.36**

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers – (1 page);
2. Four (4) sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84; and
3. Self-addressed and postage pre-paid post card to serve as a receipt for items 1 and 2.

Very respectfully,

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***Filing Date Granted***

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.
  - drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e));

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